Ruling #4 Summary
Late expense report form.

Parties to the Ruling
- Jacob Verghese, Chief Returning Officer
- Levi Flaman, candidate for VP Operations and Finance

Elections Office Jurisdiction
Regulation 320.15 authorizes the CRO to take these actions.

Applicable Bylaws, Rules, and Regulations
- Bylaw 320, section 15.2: "Each Candidate or side...shall be responsible to the C.R.O. for all such Campaign Expenses."
- Regulation 320.15, section 02.1: "Each Candidate or side shall submit to the C.R.O. the record, as set out in Bylaw 320, Section 15(1), no less than two (2) Business Days prior to the end of voting or at the discretion of the C.R.O."
- Regulation 320.15, section 02.4: "The C.R.O. shall assess a penalty to a Candidate or side who does not submit their expense report as set out in Section 18."
- General Election Nomination Package, page 4: "Candidates must submit a detailed expense report, even if they spend no money, using the Expense Allowance Form available online and from the Elections Office. Remember that, to receive reimbursement, March 5 at 6PM is a hard deadline."
- General Election Nomination Package, page 13: "Failure to submit expense report by March 5 at 6PM...Will not receive reimbursement."

Findings
The candidate filed his expense report form on March 5th at 6:21 PM.

Ruling
The candidate is not eligible for reimbursement

Penalty
The candidate’s campaign expenses will not be reimbursed.
**Appeal**

Rulings of the CRO may be [appealed to the DIE Board](#) by current undergraduate students, using the DIE Board Application Form, within 12 working hours of the ruling being posted. This ruling was posted at 12:30 PM on Thursday, March 7th, and the deadline for appeal is 3:30 PM on Friday, March 8th.